

Metadata

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Notes and caveats	<p>All data is drawn from government survey results and is subject to any associated limitations or distortions present in the source data.</p> <p>The methodology by which literacy was measured during the census is not known.</p> <p>Language and dialect naming conventions in the census are sometimes unclear and in some cases have been grouped or allocated to the Other Languages field.</p> <p>Languages with population shares less than 0.01% or under 1,000 people (whichever is greater) have been aggregated into the "Other" field.</p> <p>All decimal values have been rounded to a maximum of 3 decimal places. As a result language shares may not total 100%.</p> <p>Empty values represent non-existent data and should not be treated as zero values.</p>
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Source name	Last accessed	Source URL
Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.	14-Apr-20	https://international.ipums.org/
OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)	14-Apr-20	https://data.humdata.org/dataset/sierra-leone-all-ad-min-level-boundaries

Field heading	HXL code	Description	Sources
admin2_name	#adm2+name	Name of administrative unit	OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)
admin2_pcode	#adm2+code	Unique geographic identification code	OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)
admin1_name	#adm1+name	Name of administrative unit	OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)
admin1_pcode	#adm1+code	Unique geographic identification code	OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)
admin0_name	#country+name	Name of administrative unit	OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)
admin0_pcode	#country+code	Unique geographic identification code	OCHA administrative boundary and P-code data via HDX (version at 14 April 2020)

number_of_names	#indicator+lang+num	Number of named (non-Other) languages reported in area (excluding those with less than 0.1% coverage in this area)	Calculated field
main_language	#indicator+lang+main	Name of reported language with highest attributed population in area	Calculated field
main_language_sh	#indicator+lang+main+pct	Percentage share of population in area attributed to main language	Calculated field
main_language	#indicator+lang+main	Name of reported primary language with highest attributed population in area	Calculated field
main_language_sh	#indicator+lang+main+pct	Percentage share of population in area attributed to main primary language	Calculated field
main_language	#indicator+lang+main	Name of reported secondary language with highest attributed population in area	Calculated field
main_language_sh	#indicator+lang+main+pct	Percentage share of population in area attributed to main primary language	Calculated field
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Language fields	#indicator+lang+pct+iso639-3_ABC	Percentage of population who have this language as primary or secondary language spoken	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
Other language	#indicator+lang+pct+iso639-3_unknown	Percentage of population who have non-named language as primary or secondary language spoken	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
Primary Language fields	#indicator+primary+lang+pct+iso639-3_ABC	Percentage of population who have this language as primary language spoken	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
Primary Other language	#indicator+primary+lang+pct+iso639-3_unknown	Percentage of population who have non-named language as primary language spoken	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.

Secondary Language fields	#indicator+secondary+language+pct+iso639-3_ABC	Percentage of population who have this language as secondary language spoken	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
Secondary Other language	#indicator+secondary+language+pct+iso639-3_unknown	Percentage of population who have non-named language as secondary language spoken	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
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pop_total	#population+total	Number of total population in 2006	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
pop_male	#population+m+total	Number of male population in 2006	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
pop_female	#population+f+total	Number of female population in 2006	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
literacy_all	#population+total+pct+literate+age6up	Percentage of population aged 6 and over who are literate	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
literacy_male	#population+m+pct+literate+age6up	Percentage of male population aged 6 and over who are literate	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
literacy_female	#population+f+pct+literate+age6up	Percentage of female population aged 6 and over who are literate	Statistics Sierra Leone. Population Census of 2004.
language_data_yn	#meta+data+bool	Binary field describing whether language data is available in this	-
data_confidence	#meta+confidence	Assessment of data quality (Medium/medium/low)	-
notes	#meta+text	Notes and clarifications	-

Data confidence

descriptions

Examples

High	Data from well regarded government census or other specialist organisation.
Medium	Data from quality source but without clear methodology or inverse.
Low	Data known to be erroneous or based on non-statistical or imprecise data.
Factors increasing confidence	Data is corroborated. Data can be directly applied to administrative areas without aggregation or manipulation.
Factors decreasing confidence	Data is disputed. Data requires transformation that may affect accuracy for example combining admin 2 data to form admin 1 data.

Language ISO 639-3 code Alternative names and spellings

Krio	kri	
Mende	men	
Themne	tem	Temne
Maninkakan	emk	Madingo
Loko	lok	
Sherbro	bun	
Limba	lia	
Kissi	kss	

Kono	kno	
Susu	sus	
Pular	fuf	Fullah
Bom-Kim	bmf	Krim
Yalunka	yal	
Koranko	knk	Koranko
Vai	vai	
English	eng	
French	fra	
Arabic	ara	